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Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition Food and Drug Administration 200 C Street S.W. Washington, D.C. 20204

Attention: Mr. Joseph Levitt, Director

Dear Mr. Levitt:

There is cause for serious concern regarding the quality of our drinking water both from the tap, and that which is bottled.

As a member of the Center for Science in the Public Interest, I support the FDA's proposal that bottled water manufacturers be required to make available detailed reports of contaminants, just as public water utilities must do.

Consumers have the right to know what is in their bottled water.

All bottled water labels should have a disclosure of where the water comes from.

Thank you for your attention to this important subject.

very truly yours,

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